



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Mikio AOKI et al.

Group Art Unit: 3624

Application No.: 09/892,887

Examiner: R. Weisberger

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Docket No.: 109953

For: DATA OUTPUT CONTROL APPARATUS

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated November 20, 2002.

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